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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**



In re Application of

Lu YOU, et al.

Serial No.: 09/785,445

Filed: February 20, 2001

: Customer Number: 20277

: Confirmation Number: 5047

: Group Art Unit: 2811

: Examiner: Vu, Hung K.

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For: SINGLE DAMASCENE INTEGRATION SCHEME FOR PREVENTING COPPER  
CONTAMINATION OF DIELECTRIC LAYER

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**  
**FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated December 1, 2003 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 3 and 4.

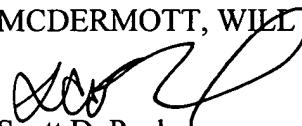
Appeal Fee: \$330.00

Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).  
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Respectfully submitted,

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